

Online Legal Seminars for Female Law Students

MEPI's Women in Law program is hosting three online legal seminars for female law students and practitioners in the MENA region this March. These seminars are open to women throughout the region of the Middle East and North Africa.

Tuesday, March 9th: The Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women (CEDAW): Practical Applications to Advance Women's Human Rights

Presentation by **Julia Ernst, Executive Director of the Women's Law and Public Policy Fellowship at Georgetown University**. WILpower is honored to be supported by a consortium of universities, international law firms and in house counsel from private sector partners this year. Julia Ernst from Georgetown University will host this, the third in the WILpower webinar series for 2010. The CEDAW: Practical Applications to Advance Women's Human Rights webinar will be offered on Tuesday, March 9th from **6pm - 7:30pm (Lebanon, Palestine) and 7pm - 8:30pm (Kuwait) and 8pm - 9:30pm (UAE)**. This will be an interactive lecture and discussion.

Tuesday, March 16th and 23rd: Negotiations in Litigation and Contracts

Presentation by **Dania Dib**

The online legal training will be held on Tuesday March 16th and Tuesday March 23rd from **6pm - 7pm (Lebanon, Palestine) and 7pm - 8pm (Kuwait) and 8-9pm (UAE)**. There will be a written exercise between the first and second weeks to complete, with feedback from our peer-trainer.

To attend the **online legal trainings and the webinar**, please follow the link below and type in your name on the sign in page:

<https://sas.illuminate.com/d.jnlp?sid=vclass&password=A0PF5AIJL3R5R7LMYCFT>

About WILpower program:

WILpower fosters an exchange of expertise and information, provides professional development training and mentoring, and helps secure women's equal rights under the law. WILpower seeks to make legal resources available to young women lawyers, provide technical support and programs, and utilize the latest information and communication tools to improve their professional development. The program focuses on four main areas of training: technical legal skills building (to include coursework on legal research and writing skills, as well as oral argumentation and courtroom training), leadership, entrepreneurship, and mentoring.

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